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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

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RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE KO'OLAUPOKO HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB FOR WINNING THE PRINCE JONAH KŪHIŌ KALANIANA'OLE OUTSTANDING CIVIC CLUB OF THE YEAR AWARD AND PUALEILANI OUTSTANDING HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB OHANA AWARD.

1 WHEREAS, the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs, the  
2 oldest Hawaiian community-based grass roots organization founded  
3 in 1918, advocates for the improved welfare of Native Hawaiians  
4 in the areas of culture, health, economic development,  
5 education, social welfare, and nationhood; and  
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7 WHEREAS, the KO'OLAUPOKO HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB, first  
8 established in August 1937 by a group of kama'āina residents in  
9 the Kāne'ohe area, continues its effort to support the culture  
10 and heritage of Native Hawaiians through its educational and  
11 service programs, community outreach, and participation in the  
12 Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs; and  
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14 WHEREAS, the KO'OLAUPOKO HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB was awarded the  
15 Prince Jonah Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole Outstanding Civic Club of the  
16 Year Award at the Association of Hawaiian Civic Club's 59th  
17 Annual Convention in November 2018; and  
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19 WHEREAS, the Prince Jonah Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole Award  
20 recognizes an outstanding Hawaiian Civic Club that best  
21 exemplifies the ideals and example set forth by Prince Kūhiō  
22 Kalaniana'ole through service, dedication, and active  
23 involvement; and  
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25 WHEREAS, some of these qualities include the civic club's  
26 active involvement in the Hawaiian Civic Club movement and the  
27 community-at-large, contribution and support to furthering the  
28 causes of the Hawaiian community, and knowledge of Hawaiian  
29 values; and



1 WHEREAS, the KO'OLAUPOKO HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB serves its  
2 members through providing a range of activities that include  
3 field trips and outings to cultural sites; workshops;  
4 informational and educational meetings; participation in various  
5 community events, service projects, picnics, and social  
6 gatherings; and the monitoring and advocating of legislative  
7 happenings that directly impact Native Hawaiians and the  
8 Ko'olaupoko community; and  
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10 WHEREAS, the KO'OLAUPOKO HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB's Loo 'Ohana  
11 was also awarded the Pualeilani Outstanding Hawaiian Civic Club  
12 'Ohana Award; and  
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14 WHEREAS, the Pualeilani Award recognizes the special  
15 volunteer efforts, dedication, commitment, and service of an  
16 outstanding Hawaiian Civic Club's 'ohana; and  
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18 WHEREAS, the Loo 'Ohana has contributed greatly to the civic  
19 club and community, including coordinating Mauna Ala and Ali'i  
20 Sundays; serving on the civic club's board of directors, Kahalu'u  
21 Neighborhood Board, and the Kāne'ohe Bay Regional Council;  
22 providing invaluable guidance to club members on civic club  
23 protocols, history, and communications between the civic club,  
24 Ke One o Kakuhihewa (O'ahu Council), and the Association; and  
25 supporting each other as well as the civic club in all that they  
26 do; now, therefore,  
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28 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the  
29 Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session of  
30 2019, that this body hereby recognizes and congratulates the  
31 KO'OLAUPOKO HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUB for their outstanding  
32 accomplishments and much-deserved recognition, and extends to  
33 them its warmest aloha and best wishes for continued success in  
34 all their future endeavors.  
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